

## Benefits of Palliative Care

Ongoing communication with your care team, offering recommendations to lessen symptoms such as pain, shortness of breath, fatigue, constipation, nausea, loss of appetite, and difficulty sleeping.

At Palliative Care of Southern Kentucky, we believe in the right to compassionate and dignified care tailored to each individual's unique situation and condition.

Our team is dedicated to supporting you and your family through challenging times with specialized services.

Contact us to learn more about how we can be part of your support system and help guide you on this journey.



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Palliative Care aims to improve the quality of life for both patient and family by providing relief from the symptoms and stress of a serious illness.

Palliative Care of Southern Kentucky works with your primary care doctors and specialists to provide extra support in the home setting.

Our Nurse Practitioner will come to your home and do an initial consult to determine the following:

- Align your goals with your treatment choices, giving you greater control of your care.
- Manage chronic symptoms, medication management, disease education, and care coordination.
- Ensure that our services allow you to continue daily life and medical treatments effectively.

## Who can benefit from Palliative Care?

**Consider a palliative care consultation if the patient has:**

- Declining function and decreased ability to complete daily activities.
- Unexplained weight loss.
- Increased physician or emergency room visits in the last year.
- Need for assistance with complex decision-making for treatment options and goals of care for a new diagnosis of a life-limiting illness.
- Diagnoses include, but are not limited, to cancer, heart disease, kidney disease, Lung disease, Alzheimer's, Dementia, COPD, ALS, MS, and Parkinson's disease.

## Payment of Service

Palliative Care of Southern Kentucky services are covered by Medicare, Medicaid, and most private insurance plans.

## Advanced Care Planning Assistance

Advanced Care Planning is a critical component of your personal healthcare plan, ensuring that your wishes are honored.

We encourage everyone communicate their healthcare decisions to family, close friends, and primary healthcare providers.

We offer guidance in completing your advanced directives.

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